#### BEFORE

#### THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

### SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 95-794-W/S - ORDER NO. 95-1762  $\nu$ 

# **DECEMBER 28, 1995**

IN RE: Application of Carolina Water Service,
Inc. for Approval of Rate Structure Set
Forth in Agreement Between CWS and
York County.

ORDER
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WITHDRAWAL OF

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("the Commission") by way of a letter from counsel representing Carolina Water Service, Inc. ("CWS") in which counsel informs the Commission that CWS withdraws the instant Application and requests the Commission to close this Docket.

The Commission has carefully considered the request of CWS and hereby accepts and approves the withdrawal of the instant Application from Commission consideration and action. The Commission also grants the request to close the instant Docket. Further, the Commission instructs CWS that should CWS interconnect with York County to receive bulk water and/or sewer treatment service for the River Hills service area, then CWS may only charge the Commission approved water rates of \$7.00 per month base charge for 5/8 inch meter and corresponding approved charges for larger meters and \$2.75 per 1,000 gallons and the Commission approved sewer rate of \$26.00 per SFE per month. The Commission also instructs CWS that should bulk water and/or sewer treatment

service be provided to CWS customers who are outside the River Hills service area in York County, then CWS may only charge the Commission approved water rate of \$8.00 per month base charge for 5/8 inch meter and corresponding approved charges for larger meters and \$3.24 per 1,000 gallons and the Commission approved sewer rate of \$29.00 per SFE per month. These rates shall remain in effect until the customers who would be impacted by the interconnection with York County are given proper notice of any contract and the Commission has taken further action on this matter.

## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The Application of CWS requesting approval of the rate structure set forth in the Agreement dated January 28, 1992, between CWS and York County is withdrawn.
- 2. Should CWS interconnect with York County for bulk water and/or sewer treatment service, then CWS may only charge the Commission approved water rates of \$7.00 per month base charge for 5/8 inch meter and corresponding approved charges for larger meters and \$2.75 per 1,000 gallons and the Commission approved sewer rate of \$26.00 per SFE per month. Further, should CWS interconnect with York County to provide bulk water and/or sewer treatment service to CWS customers who are outside the River Hills service area in York County, then CWS may only charge the Commission approved water rate of \$8.00 per month base charge for 5/8 inch meter and corresponding approved charges for larger meters and \$3.24 per 1,000 gallons and the Commission approved

sewer rate of \$29.00 per SFE per month.

- 3. The rates as stated herein shall be charged until proper notice is given to the impacted customers and the Commission has taken further action on this matter.
  - 4. The instant Docket shall be closed.
- 5. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Rulog Mittell Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director

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